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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

**Docket Number
AA-615M**

First Named Inventor: Howard David Hutton, III

Application No.: 10/787,342

Art Unit: 1751

Filed: February 26, 2004

Examiner: Lorna M. Douyon

Title: A CLEANING KIT AND/OR A DISHWASHING KIT CONTAINING A FOAM-GENERATING DISPENSER AND A CLEANING AND/OR DISHWASHING COMPOSITION

Attention: Office of Petitions
Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
FAX (571) 273-8300

NOTE: If information or assistance is needed in completing this form, please contact Petitions Information at (571) 272-3282.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to a notice or action by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the Office notice or action plus any extensions of time actually obtained.

APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer – required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. Petition fee

☒ Authorization is given to charge the required fee under 37 CFR 1.17(m), and any additional fees that may be required in connection with submission of this petition, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-2480 in the name of The Procter & Gamble Company.

2. Reply and/or Issue Fee

A. The reply to the last Communication from the Office in the form of Request for Continued Examination and Amendment (identify type of reply):

- ☒ has been filed previously on August 24, 2007
- ☒ is enclosed herewith.

B. The issue fee(s)

- ☐ has been paid previously on _____
- ☐ transmittal form is enclosed herewith.

3. Terminal disclaimer


☒ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

☐ A terminal disclaimer disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. Statement. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE: The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and (D))].

October 16, 2007

Date



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Enclosures: ☒ Reply/Request for Continued Examination

☐ Issue Fee(s) Transmittal Form

☐ Terminal Disclaimer Form

☒ Additional sheets containing statements establishing unintentional delay

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**REPLY TO NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT
STATEMENT OF UNINTENTIONAL DELAY**

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Dear Sir:

This replies to the Notice of Abandonment mailed August 31, 2007.

The Notice of Abandonment indicates the above-identified application is abandoned for failure to properly reply to the Final Rejection of February 6, 2007, under 37 CFR 1.113(a).

Applicants had filed a Request for Continued Examination, but failed to send a Request for Continued Examination Transmittal Form, as such, the Request for Continued Examination was treated as an amendment after final. A reply with a Request for Continued Examination is enclosed.

Authorization is given to charge the required fee under 37 CFR 1.17(m), and any additional fees that may be required in connection with submission of this petition, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-2480 in the name of The Procter & Gamble Company.

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Respectfully submitted,

THE PROCTER & GAMBLE COMPANY

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Laura R. Grunzinger', is written over a horizontal line.

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